

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the application is requested.

Claims 1-19 are now in the application. Claims 12, 13, and 16-19 are subject to examination and claims 1-11 and 14-15 have been withdrawn from examination. Claims 17 and 18 have been amended. Dependent claim 19 has been added.

Dependent claims 17 and 18 have been amended to depend from claim 16, which is Species 6. Therefore, claims 17 and 18 reads on Species 6.

New dependent claim 19 incorporates the features of claims 7, 17, 18, and a feature from claim 1, and is dependent on claim 12, which is in Species 6. Therefore, new claim 19 reads on Species 6.

In the first full paragraph on page 3 of the above-identified Office Action, the Examiner has required applicant to elect a single one of the Species 1 through 7 listed on page 2 of the above-identified office Action for examination on the merits pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 121.

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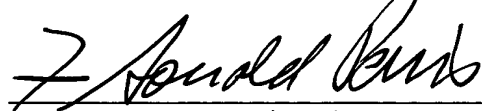
Applicant herewith elects the Species 6. Claims 12, 13, and 16-19 are readable on the elected Species.

In view of the foregoing, an action on the merits of claims 12, 13, and 16-19 is requested.

If an extension of time for reply to this paper is required, petition for extension is herewith made.

Please charge any other fees that might be due with respect to Sections 1.16 and 1.17 to the Deposit Account of Lerner and Greenberg, P.A., No. 12-1099.

Respectfully submitted,



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